

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
CHARLOTTE DIVISION

**FILED**  
IN COURT  
CHARLOTTE, N. C.

**JUL 6 2006**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v.

WINSTON MERCHANT et al.

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ORDER UNSEALING  
INFORMATION AND  
PLEA AGREEMENT

U. S. DISTRICT COURT  
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UPON MOTION of the United States of America, by and through Gretchen C. F. Shappert, United States Attorney for the Western District of North Carolina, for an order directing that the Bill of Information and Plea Agreement in the above-captioned case be unsealed; and

IT APPEARING TO THE COURT that there no longer exists any danger to the attendant investigation in this case;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the Bill of Information and Plea Agreement in the above-captioned case be unsealed.

This the 6<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2006.

  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE